

TERM 3 WEEK 7 - Outside of School Hours Care

Hello to the parents and carers of our Newington Wyvern House OSHClubbers 😊

AFTER SCHOOL CARE BOOKINGS;

It has come to our attention that we are having a lot of regular drop-ins; please ensure if you wish to utilise the service on a frequent basis, please book online as this will assist with staffing, catering food and activities for the children. Please note that **permanent bookings do not roll over from term-to-term, so please ensure that you have rebooked for term 3 should you require a permanent booking.** Parents who wish to utilise the service; if you have not done so already, please visit our website www.oshclub.com.au to create an online enrolment – it is easy and there is no signup fee! Should you have any issues regarding your online account; please contact our Account Manager, Maria at maria@oshclub.com.au or directly on (02) 8355 5300 as she will be able to assist with any payment or booking issues.

We do request that you book your child/ren in online at least 24 hours in advance, as this ensures we have the correct number of staff-to-children ratio so your child is most efficiently and safely supervised. Additionally, booking in advance allows us to cater an ample amount of afternoon tea for all children, prior to the commencement of the session. If you would like to organise a regular booking, this can be completed via your online account. Should you need to make a late booking (attend on the day of), please SMS/phone Natalya on 0428 131 700, however, please be mindful that there is a late booking fee for those that have not booked online in advance.

DONATIONS?

We are planning to implement a 'Home Corner' where the boys will have an opportunity to engage in imaginative play using toy cooking utensils, dress ups etc. Over the next couple of weeks, we encourage parents to bring in any unused items of clothing, which could be used as dress-ups for the boys. Here at OSHClub Newington we try to encourage the children to utilise materials, which can be reused, so we do welcome any donations - cardboard items (cereal boxes, milk cartons, paper rolls, bottle caps etc.), any still useable toys, which may be in need of a new, loving home! Please feel free to speak to the Coordinator if you are unsure as to what we accept as donations. Thank you for your ongoing assistance with this!

MEDICAL INFORMATION;

Please ensure if your child/ren suffers from any medical conditions that the appropriate medication and action plans are provided to be kept on site. This is to ensure your child/ren receive the best of care – please feel free to discuss any concerns with the onsite Coordinator. Asthmatics – please ensure a Dr approved Action Plan is provided to us; this can be sent to oshclub.newington@gmail.com or dropped directly to the OSHClub office; located on the same level as the hall, next to the music office.

HOLIDAY PROGRAM INFORMATION;

We are pleased to announce that our September Holiday Program schedule is ready to view online on the OSHClub website (www.oshclub.com.au), additionally, hardcopies can also be collected onsite from the sign in/out table – there is also an attached copy to this newsletter 😊

LOST PROPERTY;

If your child/ren leave their belongings at OSHClub, these are kept in our care until the following session; to which any unclaimed belongings are then taken down to the common lost property area located at the bottom of the fire escape stairway – please feel free to ask the onsite coordinator if you are unsure as to where lost property is located.

WHAT HAVE WE DONE THE PAST WEEK?

The boys had the opportunity to engage in a variety of Science-based themed activities; where experiments were conducted and group discussions held. The boys absolutely loved completing our Coloured Celery Stalks activity, which entailed observing celery absorb coloured ink. The boys also thoroughly enjoyed participating in our Melting Polar Caps experiment, where we discussed the environment, and what we can do as active participants to ensure we take care of our planet. Additionally, the boys loved designing, making and testing their Foil Sailboats (photos below)! Finally, this week OSHClub is currently celebrating Book Week with all our favourite characters!



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WHAT'S ON NEXT WEEK AT OSHCLUB?

Next week the boys will have a chance to have fun, celebrating our favourite Superhero characters through our very own; Superhero Week! The boys will have numerous opportunities to create masks, comic strips, puppets, bookmarks, and will be encouraged to engage in a variety of exciting group activities! The boys are welcome to dress up if they please – or can bring in something related to their favourite Superhero movie or characters!

Aug – Sept	Monday 31 st	Tuesday 1 st	Wednesday 2 nd	Thursday 3 rd	Friday 4 th
BEFORE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES	The BSC Special – Kid's choice! *Indoor Soccer	The BSC Special – Kid's choice! *Indoor Cricket	The BSC Special – Kid's choice! *Card Games	The BSC Special – Kid's choice! *Basketball Skills	The BSC Special – Kid's choice! *Mini Handball
AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES	Superhero Comic Strip (Arts/crafts) Superhero Corners (Group game)	Superhero Masks (Arts/crafts) Basketball (Group game)	Superhero Doorhanger (Arts/crafts) Superheros and Villains (Group game)	Superhero Finger Puppets (Arts/crafts) Zombie Tiggy (Group game)	Avenger Bookmarks (Arts/crafts) Superhero Obstacle Course (Group game)
AFTERNOON TEA (We always provide a variety of fruits & vegetables)	Cruskits (Jam, honey, Vegemite, Cream Cheese)	Alfredo Pasta Bake	Garlic Bread	Vegetarian Couscous	Pita Bread Pizzas (Tomato paste, cheese)

Program Information

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